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The bite of a genetically altered spider granted high school student Peter Parker incredible arachnid-like powers. When a burglar killed his beloved Uncle Ben, a grief-stricken Peter vowed to use his amazing abilities to protect his fellow man. He learned the invaluable lesson that with great power there must also come great responsibility.

Now the fledgling super hero tries to balance a full high school curriculum, a night job, a relationship with Mary Jane, and swing time as the misunderstood, web-slinging Spider-Man!



## PREVIOUSLY IN ULTIMATE SPIDER-MAN:

After a tumultuous year, Mary Jane and Peter Parker find themselves back together again.

Norman Osborn, a.k.a. the Green Goblin, escapes from S.H.I.E.L.D. custody and takes Dr. Octopus, Kraven the Hunter, the Vulture and Electro with him.

When Dr. Octopus refuses to join the plan to kill Peter Parker, the Green Goblin kills him.

Captain America and the Ultimates are in the middle of an insane battle against rogue members of Nick Fury's black ops team. Spider-Man is specifically told to stay away from the battle, but when he sees that Captain America is about to be shot by the Punisher he dives in...and takes the bullet himself.

Peter is left behind as the ultimate battle rages on. Peter fights back into consciousness only to see Osborn and his team of criminals heading towards Queens.

When Peter gets to his own front door he sees that his friends Johnny Storm, the Human Torch and Bobby Drake, Iceman, have taken out the Goblin, but they are both down.



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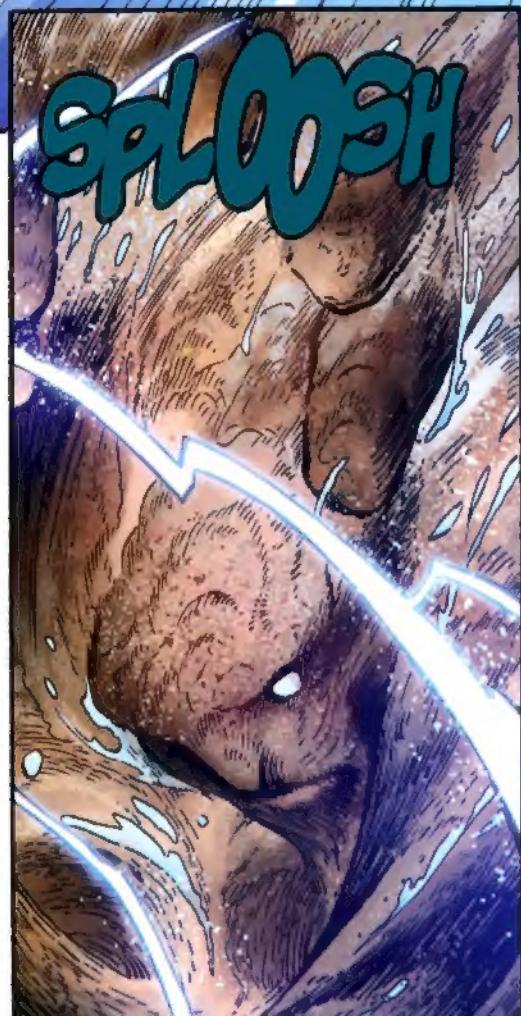
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No, it's--it's--  
I'm telling you  
it's *actually*  
Spider-Man.

He's  
hurt.  
He  
asked  
me  
to call.

And the  
police. I  
think we need  
the police.

Spider-  
Man!!

**BEHIND  
YOU!!**

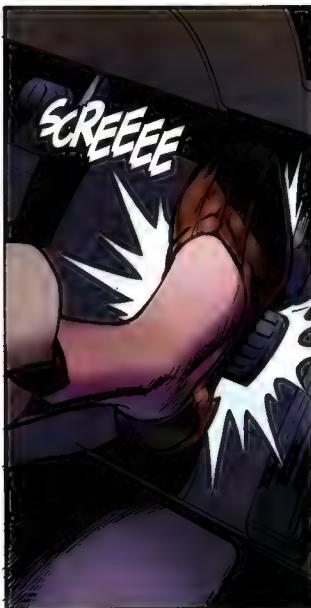


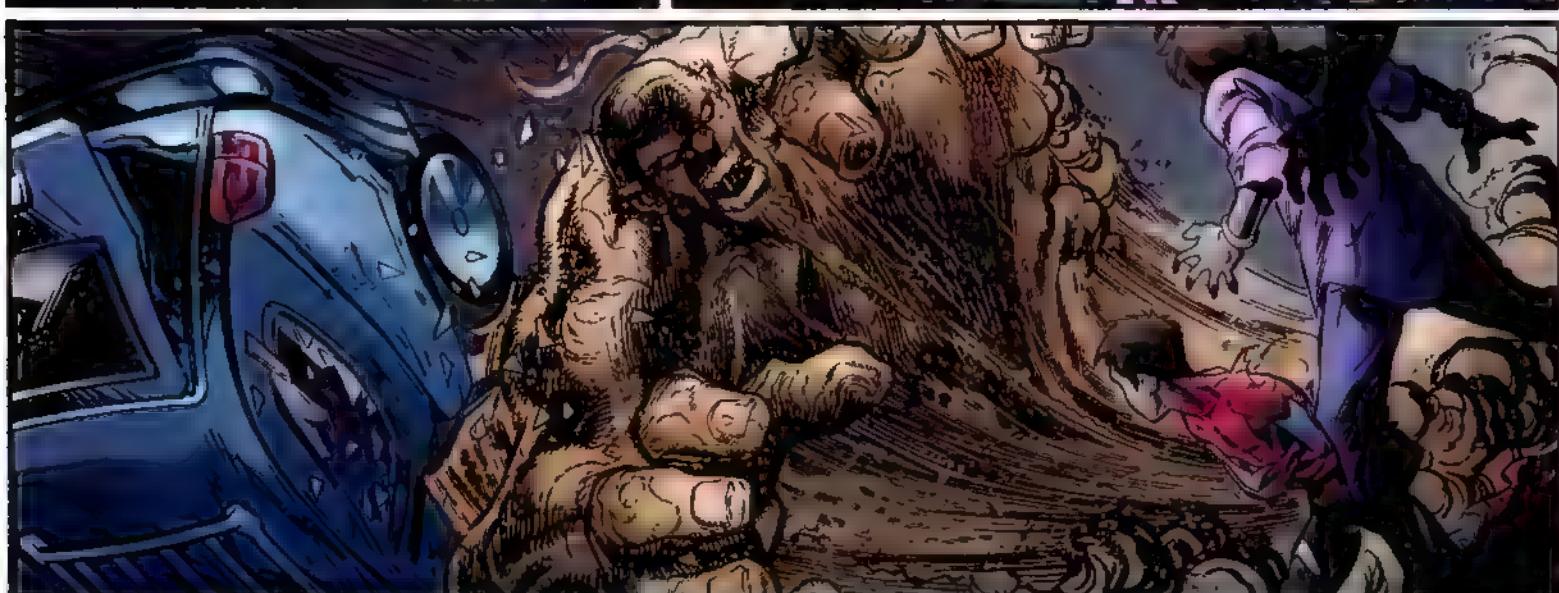
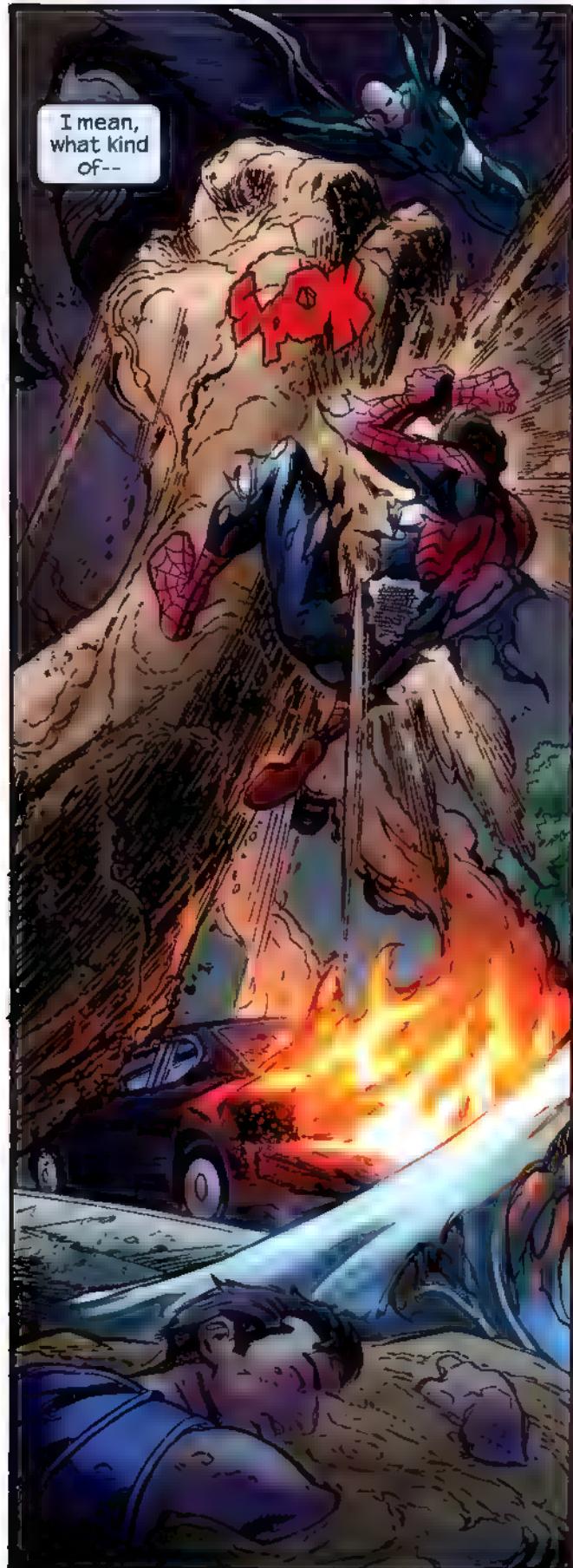












RRAAGHHH!!

SACRAAGCKAALEE

Agh!

Jeez!!

What did you do??

There's only so much crap I'm going to take from a 13-year-old kid who doesn't know he died ten minutes ago.

If Osborn's down for the count...then this one is mine.

That was not cool, Electro.

I want to see his face when it happens.

I want to see it.

Grow a pair. You're fine.

So take the shot.

Electro, I always meant to tell you...

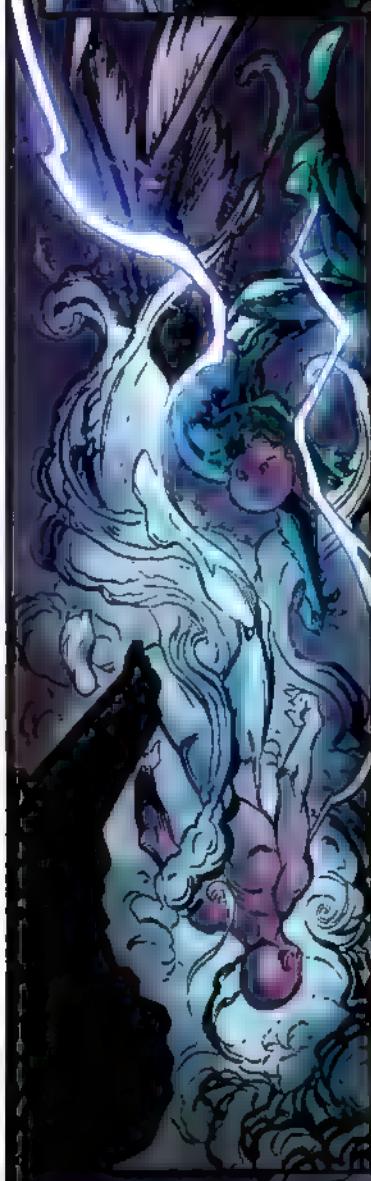
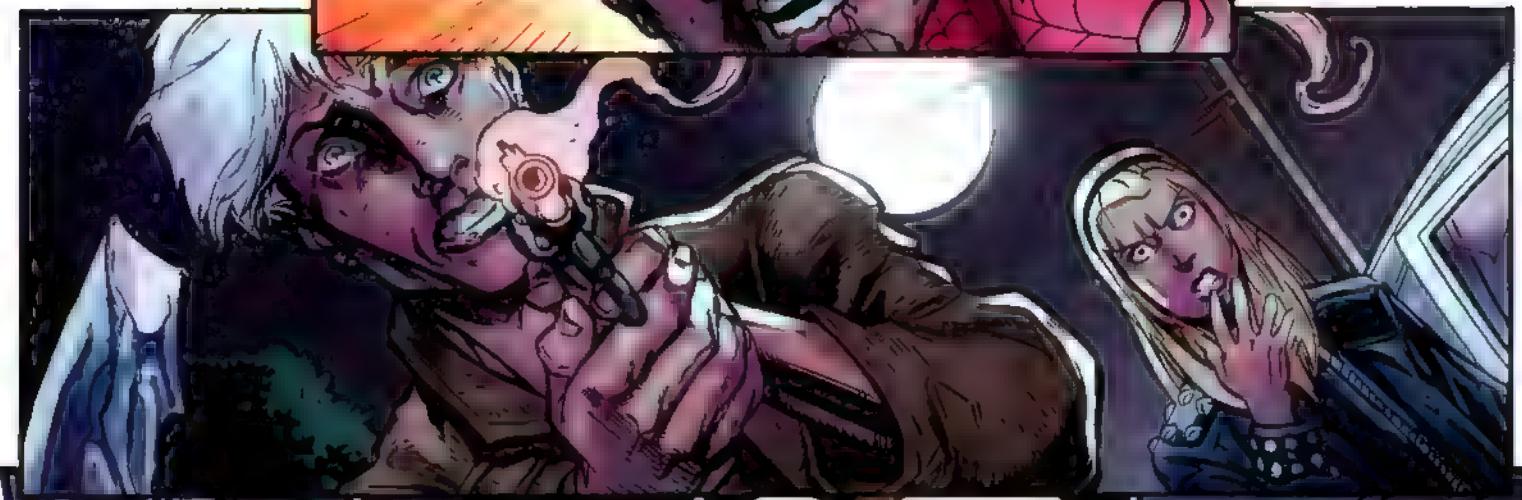
You were my greatest adversary and it was an honor to battle you.

Hope you enjoyed that.

Oh wait. That wasn't you. I barely ever gave you a second's thought.







Oh my God.

Johnny.

Johnny???





To Be Concluded...

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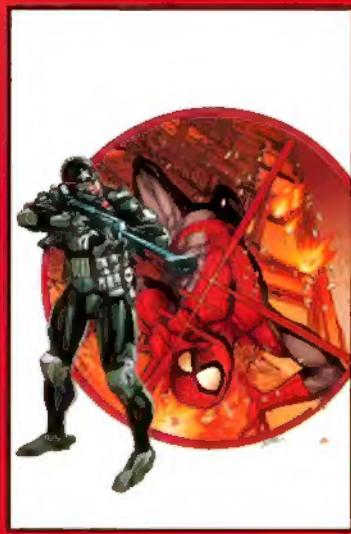
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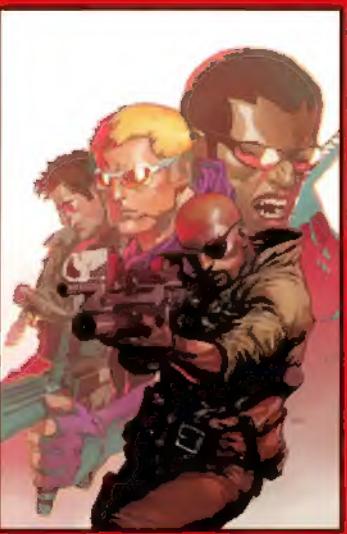
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